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FOR: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE :
WHICH PREVENTS PEELING OF LOW-
PERMITTIVITY FILM BY USING
MULTILEVEL INTERCONNECTION

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.312

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SIR:

Prior to patent issuance, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on
page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.